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What Will Your Community Do? Go Over The Top For Red Cross?

Thirty-six town and community chairmen in three districts of Jones County stand ready to conduct this area's drive in the American National Red Cross War Fund appeal opening throughout the nation on March 1st.

This is the first Red Cross drive since 1941, and a national goal of \$125,000,000 has been set to carry out charter obligations of the American Red Cross to the armed forces and their dependents in addition to the traditional peace-time services. Jones County Chapter's share is \$7,950.

"Since hostilities started, 1,800 Jones County boys have gone into the service of our country," Robert Cross roll call chairman, Anson, points out. "They are sacrificing pleasures of their homes, their jobs, their salaries, and some their lives. Our liberal donations to the Red Cross are evidence of keeping faith with our boys on home and foreign fronts."

In advance of the drive, Anson announces \$425 in contributions on their quota, \$100 from Knox Pittard, \$100 from the First National Bank, \$100 from A. Heidenheimer, \$50 from Oran A. Dean, last year's chairman of Jones County Chapter, and \$75 from Dr. and Mrs. W. J. McCreight.

Harold Bonner, Hamlin, chapter chairman, and Mr. Cross, have made the following assessments in Hamlin, Stamford, and Anson districts:

Hamlin district, Hamlin, Mrs. C. F. Butcher, chairman, \$1,590. Dovie, J. G. Whaley, chairman, \$25.00. Flat Top, Mrs. Earl Brown, chairman, \$25. Wise Chapel, John H. Agnew, chairman, \$50. Plainview, A. H. Roberts, chairman, \$75. Neinda, C. E. Gregory, chairman, \$100. Boyd Chapel, Thompson Young, chairman, \$50.00.

Stamford district: Stamford, A. M. G. Swenson, chairman, \$2,500; Sunnyside, Dave P. Walker, chairman, \$75. Pleasant Valley, Claude Thompson, chairman, \$75; Avoca and Humble Camp, L. H. Lawrence, chairman, \$225; Lueders, Ray R. Rushing, chairman, \$300; Copinth, M. R. Sealy, chairman, \$125; Tuxedo, J. C. Harwell, chairman, \$135; New Light, J. C. Lane, \$35; New Hope, J. D. Jenkins, \$65; Ericksdahl, Rev. Hugo B. Haterius, chairman, \$100.

Anson district: Anson, Miss Dorothy Castles, chairman, \$1,590; Delk, M. M. Newton, chairman, \$75; Wilson, R. P. Nunnally, chairman, \$40; Funston, A. L. McKeever, chairman, \$100; Noodle, John Thompson, chairman, \$175; Golan, V. P. Byron, chairman, \$50; Sinclair, Walter Alford, chairman, \$100; Hawley, Elmer Holland, chairman, \$225; Truby, J. Spurgeon Reeves, chairman, \$65; Nugent, J. H. Doty, chairman, \$100; Stith, W. H. Kelso, chairman, \$175; Anderson Chapel, C. A. Baucum, Jr., chairman, \$65; Hollis Hill, Eaton Womack, chairman, \$50; Willow Creek, Mrs. Robert Manly, chairman, \$100; Harmony, B. L. Martin, chairman, \$40; Union, Joe Warner, chairman, \$100; Pleasant Hill, Dan Crumpler, \$50; Hodges, B. L. Newman, \$100; Carpenter's Gap, Mrs. Barto Henderson, \$20.

Demands for assistance for service men and ex-service men and their families, chapter preparedness for disaster, extension of health projects, and growth of volunteer special services, are expanding in all Red Cross Chapters, and Jones Co. chapter officials are hoping all assessments may be met here to maintain the Red Cross war-time program of this area.

Red Cross contributions are deductible item from income report, remember.

P-T. A. Notice

The Elementary P-T. A. will meet Thursday, March 4, at 4:30 P. M. at the Grammar school.

The program is as follows:

Songs.
Business.
Ten minute discussion on "Juvenile Delinquency in Wartime," led by Mrs. Carl Young.
Music, A Necessity, Miss Edwina Gilbert.
Prayer.

Soldier Boy Gives First \$1.00 To Red Cross

Folks, of the Hamlin community, here's the thing that should make you dig down into your big bulging pockets and give two or three times what you may have planned to give to the Red Cross.

THE LETTER

"Mr. Bowen Pope: Will try to write you a few lines. I guess you wonder who I am. I'm just another soldier boy from good old Hamlin and would like to be there. It rains here all the time and I am not used to that. I am in Co. 397 Military Police Escort Guard. Guess I don't have to tell you what we guard. You can guess it pretty easy. They are not so bad, not half as tough as the American boys.

"I just got through reading the Hamlin paper. See where the Red Cross is making a drive to raise \$1,590, so I am including \$1.00 to help out, for they surely have been nice to us here in camp.

"Well, there's one boy here who can shoot pretty good... 98 hits out of 100 shots. I just scored 90 out of my 100. The other boy is from El Paso, so Texas boys are not so bad with guns."

Pvt. Jack L. Pyron

(Every red-blooded man and woman who reads how this poor soldier boy gives so quickly of his meager salary to the Red Cross, while his wife back home may need every dime, we say they ought to double what they had planned to give).

Thankful For Friends

Mrs. W. B. Teague, the mother of the young officer who is reported badly wounded in Australia, or the Southwest Pacific, has had many visitors and calls to express their sympathy in her days of waiting to hear particulars of her son's condition, and she wants to publicly thank Joe and Oran Teague and their wives and children for coming, also Mrs. C. J. Whitaker and Dave Whitaker and family, Mrs. Roscoe Greenway and Mrs. J. R. Elliott, Mrs. Hugh Hallmark, Mrs. Effie Miller, Mrs. J. W. Fomby and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Prater for their kindness, and all others who in any way remembered them in these trying days.

AGED McCaULEY WOMAN DIED THURSDAY, FEB. 18

Mrs. Frances Eugenia Young, of the McCauley community, passed away Friday, February 19, at the age of 84 years. She was born in Henderson county, Texas, July 25, 1858, and was married to George W. Young in 1875 and to this union there were six children, three of whom survive, namely, W. C. Young, of Abilene, Mrs. D. F. Maberry of McCauley and Ulde Young of Plainview. Also there were three sisters left, namely, Mrs. Fannie Baker of Mabank, Texas; Mrs. Della Fancher of McCauley and Mrs. Lida Peterson of Gustine. There are fourteen grand children and seven great grand children.

Interment was in the McCauley Cemetery.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.
Bible Study at 6:30 P. M.
Worship hour at 7:30 P. M.

MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study at 7:30 P. M.

T. L. Stapleton Died In Abilene Last Week

T. L. Stapleton, the father of Mrs. Van Huling of Hamlin, and formerly one of the prominent farmers in the country east of Hamlin, died at the home of his only sister, Mrs. J. E. Foote, in Abilene, on Thursday of last week.

He was nearly 65 years of age, and had been declining in health for three years and had been helpless for more than a year.

Burial was at Petersburg, on the Plains, where he had lived for several years. He is survived by ten children, Mrs. G. O. Dean and Mrs. Lorena Sanders, of Lubbock; Mrs. Van Huling of Hamlin, Mrs. R. C. Stark, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Cecil Anderson, Port Arthur, Shelly and Bynum Stapleton of Petersburg; Howard and Odell of Fort Worth, and Seidel Stapleton of Lubbock. His wife died three years ago at Petersburg.

Mr. Stapleton was a native of Tennessee, but had spent most of his life in Texas, in Hunt County, in Jones County and on the Plains. After his wife died, he spent considerable of his time in Hamlin, with Mr. and Mrs. Huling.

Mrs. Loy Fry went to Wichita Falls Sunday to visit her son, Loy Fry Jr., who is stationed at Shepard Field. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mart Farrow who visited her sister, Miss Onita Rimmer, a teacher in the Wichita Falls public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kennedy and children of Amarillo were here last week to visit home folks and friends. Herbert has been firing on the Santa Fe at Belen, New Mexico, and they are getting back home in Amarillo.

Mrs. Melva Stephenson came up from Dallas Saturday to visit her little daughter and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miles, and to be at home some of the time while her brother, Flight Sgt. Joseph was at home. Mrs. Stephenson is on the sales force at A. Harris, in Dallas.

Mrs. B. Middleton who has been in the Stamford hospital for treatment, was able to return home Tuesday. Her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Holbert of Fort Worth, came Wednesday to be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Crafton and little son Bobby Don have recently moved from Spur to make Hamlin their home. Mr. Crafton is assistant in the operation of the Safeway Store. At present they have their apartment in the Mrs. M. T. Via residence.

Mrs. Tom McGuire has been very ill this week at her home on Jackson Avenue. Her daughters, Mrs. Ina Tims of Camp Barkeley and Mrs. M. A. Bond of Ballinger are with their mother and are wanting to hire a capable woman to stay with Mrs. McGuire.

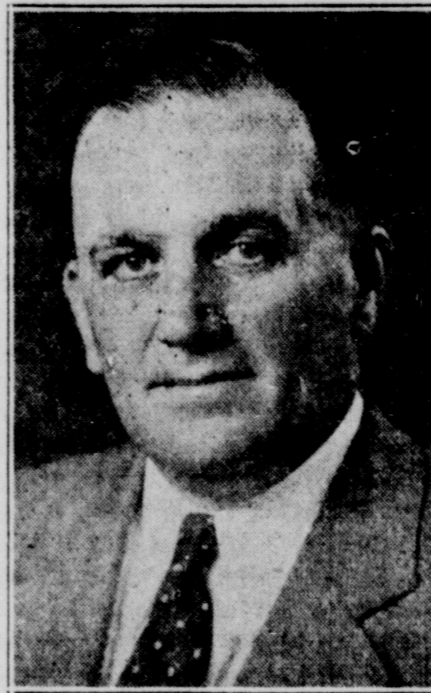
J. F. Fleming, who lives west of Boyd Chapel, is moving this week to De Leon to live with his daughter, Mrs. Ella Reese till after the war. Mr. Fleming has two sons in the army, one, A. A., in Louisiana, and D. R. Fleming in England, so he is going where he can hear more noise, as he is all alone at the old home place.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Newberry went to Lubbock this week to be there for some time while Mr. Newberry is taking treatment in the hospital. He was up there several weeks ago and the treatment improved his health. Here is hoping he will become strong and happy again and return to Hamlin for good.

Mrs. L. E. Minor and her little daughter, Sue of Seymour, spent the past week here with her mother, Mrs. N. E. Money.

Mrs. D. W. Carlton, who underwent a serious major operation last week in the Stamford hospital, is reported to be recovering nicely.

Visitation and Dedication Service At The First Methodist Church



Rev. J. E. Harrell, Pastor

A two weeks revival of Visitation and dedication began last Sunday and will continue through Sunday night, March 7th. The pastor, Rev. J. E. Harrell, will preach Sunday night and each night through next week and the following Sunday.

Rev. B. L. Nance, evangelist of Phoenix, Arizona, will conduct the visitation and personal workers' campaign and speak Sunday morning on his "More Than 60 Years Experience and Observation in Christian Work."

Bro. Nance is an outstanding man in his field of work and comes to our community well recommended.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.
Youth Fellowship Recreational Hr. 6 to 7 P. M., in church basement.
Youth Fellowship Program at 7:00 P. M. in King's Daughters' Class Room.

Evening service at 8 o'clock.
Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon at 3:00.

Rev. B. L. Nance, visitation evangelist of Phoenix, Arizona, will speak Sunday morning from his personal experience on the subject "Over 60 Years Experience and Observation in Christian Work." The pastor will speak Sunday night on the subject: "Daniel—The Most Influential Man of the Old Testament."

Bro. Nance will speak to all the Sunday School officers and teachers Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Then he will address the Young People in their fellowship program at 7:00.

The pastor will preach each night through next week at 8 o'clock, and Bro. Nance will direct prayer and council meetings each night at 7:30.

Our Visitation and Dedication Revival will continue through Sunday night, March 7th. Everyone is invited to the services.

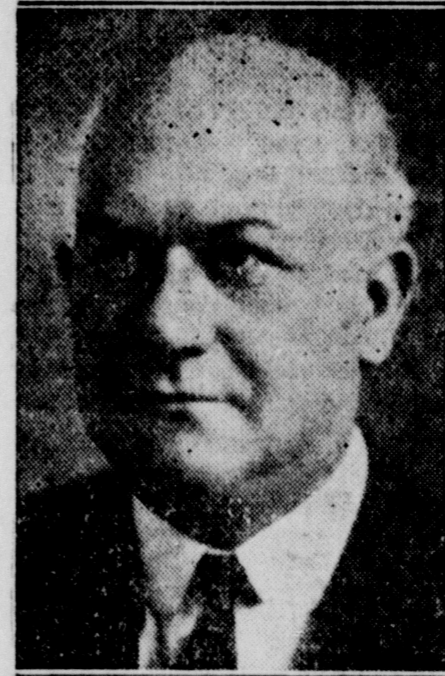
Visitors are more than welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison feel that their children are doing their part in the war service. Besides one son in the army, they have one daughter, Miss Lucille Harrison, in the Army Depot at Duncan Field; Jack Ward, a son-in-law formerly a regular army man, has gone back as an F. B. I. guard at Duncan Field, and another son-in-law, Clarence Renfro, is a quartermaster Junior Mechanic in the same air field. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will likely move to San Antonio.

If there is any old man in this community who enjoys attention and kindness, it is Uncle John Beard, who will soon be 90 years of age. This week he handed us a little slip of paper telling how he appreciated a visit and a fruit shower by eight G. A. boys and their leader, Mrs. Altum from the Baptist church.

Bob Jack Low Jr., a Hamlin High graduate of 1940, is at Monahans, Texas, Box 1121, and wants to hear from some of his old school mates. Bob sends a dollar for the Herald and should have had it long ago. Guess Bob Jack wants to hear from the girls, for all the boys are working for Uncle Sam.

The Herald welcomes news items.



Rev. B. L. Nance, Evangelist

Dr. W. M. Pearce, superintendent of the Vernon district, says of him: "I prefer Rev. B. L. Nance to work with me in a campaign of visitation evangelism to any other person whom I know." Dr. Burk Culpepper, one of the outstanding evangelists of the South, speaks of Rev. Mr. Nance in these words: "I used Rev. B. L. Nance in a great revival in Waco, Texas, and I think he is the most gifted all round man in dealing with the lost and back-slidden I have ever met."

We are anxious for this revival to reach every home and person in Hamlin. The entire community is invited to the services.

The First BAPTIST CHURCH

You will enjoy the fine spirit each Sunday in this friendly church. Join those who are regular attendants at God's House.

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Training Unions, 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship, 8:00 P. M.
Mid-week Service, 7:45 Wednesday.

H. E. East, Pastor

Full Gospel Mission

Sunday School 10 A. M.
Preaching Service 11 A. M.
Divine Healing Service... 3 P. M.
Young People's Service 7:15 p. m.
Evangelistic Service .. 8:15 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:15 P. M.

Saturday Service 8:15 P. M.
Come and receive a reward in the Lord's blessing. Come and hear the old time gospel.

SID LILES, Sponsor

Minister Bruce Proctor sends a card down from Paducah telling the Herald to come to that office for the next few months.

BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. M. Luther Moore are parents of an 11 pound son, John Luther, born Saturday, February 20, at their home in West Hamlin.

Texas Optometrists

Honor Dr. Baker

Dr. Fred R. Baker, first optometrist to open an office for practice in San Angelo 36 years ago, has been named an honorary member of the Texas Optometric Association for life. He received the notification during the last week.

Dr. Baker formerly was head of the state association and was national vice-president. He led the fight for the optometry law in Texas and was a member of the first board of examiners. He was on the board three years.

Dr. Baker has been semi-retired for the last 10 years, but maintains an office at his home, 1310 Austin, street, San Angelo.

Notice of the honorary membership from J. E. St. Clair, secretary of the Texas Association, expresses his "appreciation for sacrifices that you made in years gone by for the advancement of organized optometry." —From San Angelo Standard.

(Dr. Baker does office work in Hamlin at the Dillard Hotel one day in each month.)

THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This
AND A LITTLE BIT OF
THAT

—Now you see the POINT!... and that's not all, from here out we'll be eating by the POINT, not by the pint...and before this war is over we've got to come to more points than we have so far and like it, too...put your ear to the test and listen who it is that criticises our national efforts to assure plenty of foods of all kinds for our men in the service...bear in mind the stuff that is "pointed" is the kind that can be transported.

—Make it a point to plant and actually grow something to save your POINTS...what one produces by his own labor counts fast in time of war...the most sinful waste in this America of ours is idleness and indifference, and maybe after all, since we've reached the POINT, it will do some of us good.

—Parking fun on Postoffice street has been stopped. The only street where car drivers could really have fun has been put under a parallel parking system...making the street a little more easy to get through but we're going to miss a lot of fun...up till this week cars could head-on and the drivers slap on the brakes and grin at each other, or maybe cross over and stop the other fellow, and there was some more grinning...so now it's no fun to go down that street...only about one-third as many cars can find a place to stop, and even if a blank spot is found, many folks do not like to parallel, because they think they can't get in or out...if you don't like the street, just stay off of it.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS

With a line of good foods and in a position to pay you the highest market price CASH for your eggs. Will be glad to have you visit us in the little White Stucco, 2 blocks on Stamford Highway. (P)

MRS. B. F. WILCOX

Fire Damages Home

A fire was discovered in the roof of the residence occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eakin, about ten o'clock Thursday morning. This house is on the corner of Fourth Street and Union Avenue, known as the former Dr. Pardue residence, one of Hamlin's older places. The fire was in the attic and as it was a still morning it was slow in getting started. Nearly all of the household goods were removed, in fair condition, and when the Fire Boys got the water started they soon had everything under control.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harris of Bonham have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pitcock and others in the Hamlin-McCauley communities. They report the blackland as needing rain, for once.

Weapons For Civilian Defense YOUR EYES

Have them examined regularly. If you don't need glasses, Dr. Baker will tell you so. He supplies expert eyesight service, the glasses are only incidental, like medicine purchased on the Physician's prescription after he diagnoses the ailment. See DR. BAKER, Optometrist, at the HAMLIN HOTEL, Wednesday, March 3rd, Only. YES—

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Can We Take It?

In recent days there has been considerable bad news for Americans to hear from the battle fronts. Especially do we refer to the battle in Tunisia and the sinkings of two of our cargo ships with about 850 civilians, and military personnel, in the North Atlantic.

There are a lot of things that might be well said about war this week, and one of them is that the war is blooming full in our faces, more and more as the weeks pass. Two weeks ago the Herald got the war up in the moon, comparatively speaking, trying to say that we have passed from sham battles and extensive training into the terrible wide-open conflict that must continue till somebody is badly beaten—and it will not be US.

There are a few things grounded into the hearts of many Americans—we expect to win and now we are in the fight to the hilt, and every defeat our forces suffer only serves to make us all the more determined. Americans are just now getting angry, just a little bit. Our boys in North Africa have been taking it hard the past few days and if they could talk freely to Americans they would make some of us feel ashamed of how little the folks back home are feeling what soldiers and sailors are going through at the front....it makes no difference how much equipment the men have, many of them will not get through without injury and deaths, and the folks who feel the sting of war now are those families who know how it feels to have a loved one in the battle zone.

We should note too that the government is not withholding bad news now like they did a few weeks ago. It is just common sense to realize that as long as there are ships on the oceans and submarines lurking around they will likely cross courses sooner or later, and somebody is sure to get hurt. Always this will cause deep grief, tears, but never should disaster stimulate a feeling of final defeat for America. Just this week a mother told how her son said "When anyone sees what we are doing, how could they ever feel that we would be defeated." So the time has come for the home folks to get tough and hard in this war.

Our boys in North Africa have been pushed about and they are getting pretty mad, and that means more than Running, Rommel understands. They are learning some good lessons that will percolate back into the camps of men who have never seen a battle line. Let's remember that even our best trained soldiers are green when the real shots and shells begin to roar, and to be too down cast at the first brush with the Germans is not fair to them.

Now can we take it? And we mean North Africa. Certainly our forces with the help of the English and the French and many others as well, can drive the Germans out of North Africa and that's not all—drive into Berlin. "Taking it" must start somewhere, if not we should tell Hitler to make his terms and we'll come to them, which we won't ever do. If our forces can "take it" there is going to be a lot of "taking" back home.

There is no finer example of heroism than to see a mother take on a determined look and say, "If it's the Lord's will that my boy must be sacrificed to bring peace to the world, he's no better than any other boy." To such a mother there should be an imperishable monument raised to her memory, and there are thousands of such in this land. So why not take what is necessary to win? No nation, however so cunning and powerful can stand up against what Germany is now getting. When we are through with her, what Japan will get will be too horrible for expression, unless she surrenders unconditionally.

The reverses Our Nations have had in North Africa does not change anything yet to say that Germany will not be knocked out in 1943. The fighting spirit of the Russians cannot be matched anywhere. They have seen hundreds of miles of their country ravaged by the Germans and because the United States and England have come to her aid with material and food she is able to push the enemy out of much of their lands, yet there are hundreds of hard miles yet to be traveled before

the Germans are out of Russia. Not much sympathy will be felt for the Hitler crowd in any land, and since that is true, we can see nothing but horror, unspeakable, as the carnage goes on. Can the Russians be blamed? Can the Poles hold their anger, when the hour of revenge comes? Will the Jews think of granting mercy, and should they? Sum it all up, there is nothing bright and cheerful to look out for within two or three years ahead, and the American people hold the key for victory and tolerance. We can take it and give it.

How To Lose

The War—

Many people, in fact nearly all of the people in the United States want to win the war and expect to win it. But there is a way to lose it, or at least to prolong it.

Maybe some of us have been overly concerned about what we have read, what we have heard, and what things seem to be shaping up. Here are a few headlines in newspapers: "Farmers Group Wants Action" ... this means members of congress, meaning by that they want action but not at winning the war. They want action by limiting the army; they want action by forcing the President to agree to allow soldiers to quit preparing to win the war and go help gather crops that are not even planted; they want action but not the kind of action that would help throw a flood of men into the Tunisian battle to help thin forces there who have been slaughtered and pushed back; they want the kind of action that would dishearten a good old mother or father who said goodbye to their son to fight our enemy on foreign soil while the "action" by the "group" want some men to be sent to the "cockleburrs" patch instead of to help their buddies in Africa. Here's another: "Roosevelt Says Soldiers May Help In Harvest." This comes also out of the "Group" who are playing politics with their farmer friends back home. Playing as though the farmer was the most disloyal man in the country, as though the farmer hasn't got a bit of sense, playing to put a hard-pressed president between a rock and a hard place. Now listen how sensible Mr. Roosevelt replies: "The size of the army for 1943 was decided last August by dictates of military necessity and the decisions have not been changed." And further he says, he is concerned over food production outlook but he said he believed young people of high school age could do a lot to relieve farm labor shortage. Mr. Roosevelt means that there are literally millions of people, old and young, white, colored, Americans and Mexicans in this land who are not putting forth as much labor energy as can be expended to produce the things they need and what the Armed Forces need.

Now here's another headline: "TROOPS ORDERED TO COTTON FIELDS", and that is the most shocking. There's not time and space enough to analyze what this means, and in these days of just starting to fight a war, it has more of what we think sounds like a way to lose the war. What do the farmers think of it? What do the soldiers think of it? What effect will such slush-slush have on the morale of the men who have been forced to leave their homes and good jobs to whip an enemy, and now be sent to pick cotton in some work or occupation they know nothing about and care less? Imagine you see a Sgt. marching a bunch of Iowa corn-pickers, hup, hup, hup, hup, to a cotton field, dressed out in Uncle Sam's clothing to bedraggle themselves in the dirt for some Arizona farmer who raised so much cotton that he could not induce laborers to gather? If Uncle Sam needs something on a Texas or Arizona farm to help win the war, it would be good sense to take it over lock stock and barrel. We would like to follow up the action of the army in its farming enterprise out in Arizona. What farmer got so many soldiers, and why that one instead of some other one? How much work did they do and who got the benefit of it? Did Wisconsin potato diggers pick cotton, hoe cotton, or was it Kentucky tobacco primers who did the work? Maybe it was a New York Jew who got the break to spend his military

time in a weed patch instead of learning how to kill the Hitlerites who slaughtered his race by the millions? Well, all this is positively silly. One of two things, a man can't play soldier and follow some form of occupation at the same time. Oh, maybe a few would like to quit the army and lose the war, but if Uncle Sam is serious he will find that kind of warfare will not please the boy in New Guinea, in North Africa, or the jungles of Louisiana, while other men are pampered and petted in the healthy sunshine of Arizona, California and Texas.

—Here is another way to lose the war: Keep on having press conferences, with the president, pound him with questions, puzzle him, press him, make him squirm with silly slurring questions, till he finally must say something that is misconstrued or purposely misquoted and then break out for the newspaper office, the radio, or maybe to the underground system to tell Hitler all about this and that going hay-wire in the United States. Yes, and there is the frequent press conferences with cabinet members, and other key men, and some Senators and Representatives, some of whom like to sit in such high places and be quizzed by smart reporters, who get some more befuddling stuff for the dear suffering public to be upset over. It is not doing the nation any good to be always hearing some kind of surmising, guessing and maybes in the face of war on a deadly enemy. Elmer Davis or somebody should do something about clouding the waters. It is time to make up our minds what we want to do and how to do it, and who must do it. This war comes first at all cost. Some must fight and all who can must work, and no fooling. We need an army or we don't need one. The task falls upon those physically able to stand the strain, and the lesser jobs must be handled by the older and weaker. If we want to increase our sacrifices, and prolong a bad war we can do it. We have reached the point where hesitancy, wishy-washy, political piddling will hurt like getting a hundred ships sunk or giving up men and material on a battle front. We can't shield some and push others into fire of battle.

Rotan Colored Girl Enlists In WAAC

Rotan, Feb. 20—First colored woman's Army Auxiliary corps recruit from Fisher County is Birdie R. Govan, 22, daughter of H. Govan and wife of Rotan, who is now training in Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. Birdie is a 1943 graduate of Prairie View College, where she received a bachelor's degree in physical education in January.

The colored WAAC auxiliary was graduated from Lincoln high school at Palestine in 1938, and entered college in 1939. Only two from 35 candidates were accepted from the colored group by WAAC recruiters at Houston.

Two of Birdie's aunts are school teachers, one in Rotan and the other at Palestine.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the long illness and at the death of our mother, Mrs. E. W. Bounds. Especially may we thank each of those who sat up at the Funeral Home the two nights before the body was taken to Fort Worth for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson
And Family

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FLAT TOP NEWS

By Laverne Jenkins

Misses Helen and Ruth Whitly spent Saturday night with Mrs. M. Day of Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hill and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hill of Hitson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rankin and boys enjoyed a birthday supper honoring Alford Dutton Sunday in his home at Radium.

E. J. Jenkins accompanied his mother, Mrs. J. W. Jenkins and a brother, Emmet Jenkins of Dovie, to East Texas to attend a funeral of his cousin. Also they will visit relatives while there.

Those who are absent from school because of illness are Eloise Williams, Harold Nelson, Billie James, and Billie Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Callicoate of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Whitely Sunday.

Rev. McIntire preached here Sunday morning and evening. He and his family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Neal.

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BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

By Mrs. James Ferguson

Rev. and Mrs. Grady Adcock and little Linda spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young.

Pvt. and Mrs. J. D. Bingham of Lubbock Flying School are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham and Mrs. Josephine Foote of Abilene.

Mrs. Rodgers and children of Denison are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Estes spent Friday and Saturday in Post visiting their daughter, Mrs. Tabie Estes.

Miss Mildred Young of Abilene spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Young.

Mrs. Wood, mother of Mrs. J. P. Cornelius, was taken very ill while attending Sunday services, but is much better at this writing.

Several women of our community met in an all day meeting at the church Tuesday to sew for the Red Cross. Several garments were completed.

Jack Holden of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden last Wednesday night.

Miss Filema Kelly of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly last Thursday.

Charles Dean of Lubbock visited his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Dean Sunday.

Mrs. E. K. Whittenburg and Mrs. C. D. Bingham were Abilene shoppers last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holden of Abilene.

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Our Freedom Is Priceless

By JOSEPH E. DAVIES
Former Ambassador to Russia and Belgium.

(Written for the Treasury Department in connection with the Retailers' "GAY YES" campaign to complete the nation's 100,000,000 partially filled War Stamp albums.)

What I myself saw in my four years in Europe gave me a new realization of the priceless rights which we here enjoy.

No secret police can in the night whisk us away, never again to be seen by those we love.

None of us can be deprived by any party, state or tyrant of those precious civil liberties which our laws and our courts guarantee.

None of us can be persecuted for practicing the faith which we found at our mother's knee.

None of us can be persecuted, tortured or killed because of the fact that an accident of fate might have made us of the same race as the Nazarene.

No American can be placed by any party or government in a regimented vise which takes from him or her either freedom of economic opportunity or political religious liberty.

What would the millions of unfortunate men, women and children in Europe give to be able to live and enjoy such a way of life?

Well, in this war, those are the things in our lives which are in jeopardy. Our boys are dying to preserve them for us.

Then we can do no less than to "say yes" and fill those war stamp albums. It is our duty and privilege to help the secretary of the treasury, Mr. Morgenthau, in his magnificent effort to do the tremendous job of getting the money to keep our boys supplied with the weapons with which to fight our fight.

Surely that is little enough for us to do on the home front.

U. S. Treasury Department

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Place your orders for Sales Books at the Herald Office.

About Soldiers--Sailors

WAAC Corporal Anna Sue Lasseter arrived from Daytona Beach on Thursday of last week for just two days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasseter. Corporal Lasseter first trained at Des Moines, and she said when she left there it was 32 below zero, and they went by way of New York down to sunny Florida and it was a welcome change. She says she took "Motorization" training for a number of weeks at first and now she feels confident that she can dismantle any truck in Hamlin or reassemble any car in town.

—S & S—

"THE ALCAN HIGHWAY" has a representative in Hamlin these days.... Pvt. Jack Holt, another of those red-heads who has gone into the jungles for Uncle Sam. Yes sir, Jack has been away up in Canada in the 35th Engineers Regt, helping build that Alaskan-Canada highway since March, 1942, and he has been in the army since May, 1941. He has a 28 days furlough and when he arrived here Saturday night the first thing he wanted was some B. V. D.'s and a fan. You see, where he's been all winter when it gets down about 5 to 10 below zero, they think it has come spring. Jack said it was 72 below zero on Christmas Day, and a real "White Christmas". Jack says sometimes it does seem that the army moves slowly, but how she drives things thru when once started. They have a good road built and the Civil Roads Dept. is making it better all the time. He says when the thaws come the streams will flow so high and the ice so big that all the bridges will likely go out and then the Engineers will come along and rebuild them till the next thaw, at least that's his opinion. While Jack was up in Canada, his brother, Pfc. "Pinky" Holt, was in Camp Edwards, Mass.

—S & S—

BACK HOME

First Lieutenant J. B. Terrell, Jr., Bombadier from the North Africa battle front, arrived home Wednesday night for a two weeks furlough with his young wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terrell. It is a truly happy family. They met him in Abilene, and late Thursday morning the young fighter was still asleep. His father reported J. B. looking quite well, the wound is entirely healed, and he has gained back much weight lost. He was wounded in the left thigh, the shrapnel ranging upward towards his side. He received the wound just after he had let go bombs on Bizerte and was making his get-away. Lieut. Terrell will later take up duties at Shreveport. More about him next week, enough now.... J. B. has received several medals, and one is the Purple Heart.

—S & S—

Pvt. Harold Newberry Sr. came down from the Childress Army Air Field to spend the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Newberry. He is in the supply department of the big bomber camp.

—S & S—

Pvt. Alpha O. Butler came down from Ft. Sill for the week end at home. Alpha is at Ft. Sill temporarily, on an artillery demonstration mission.

—S & S—

Pvt. J. D. Bingham and wife from Lubbock were in Hamlin Saturday after having been to Abilene with their mother, Mrs. J. E. Foote, and to attend the funeral of their uncle, Mr. Stapleton.

—S & S—

Flight Officer Sgt. Joseph Miles came home from Atlantic City, N. J. on Thursday of last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miles. Sgt. Miles is seeing some extended service on the Atlantic side.

—S & S—

On Friday night of last week, Mrs. John F. Green, Jr., arrived from Petersburg, Va., where she had been with her soldier husband, who now has been appointed to the Officers' Candidate School at Camp Lee. He is taking his course in the Quartermaster service. Mrs. Green was met in Abilene by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green, Sr.

—S & S—

Sailorboy Fred Campbell, whose father formerly worked in the Imperial Barber Shop but now at Aspermont, came in from San Diego Saturday to spend a short leave in Hamlin and Aspermont. He has been in the service since last August.

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WAR DEPARTMENT REPORTS

ON W. B. TEAGUE

Last Thursday, the wife of Flight Officer W. B. Teague, called by phone from Rantoul, Ill., that she had received the message concerning her husband, which reads as follows:

"Reference is made to my telegram of Feb. 2, 1943, informing you that your husband, Flight Officer W. B. Teague was seriously ill.

"I regret that I must inform you that it was necessary that your husband undergo a traumatic amputation of the left lower leg. A further report dated Feb. 10 advises that he is making normal improvement.

"You may rest assured that when further information is received concerning your husband you will be notified immediately. May I express the hopes that the report will be favorable."

Very truly yours,

J. A. Ulio, Major General

The Adjutant General

(This is the first definite information received since the first, reporting him seriously ill. Indications are that he will pull through. This also is proof how the War Department is trying to help the bereaved families in these days of wounds and death.)

—S & S—

HAMLIN BOY GIVES

BATTLE FRONT REPORT

Captain Leo Fielder of Hamlin, one of the first Hamlin-Jones county pilots, men to get across and join battle, made the front pages of newspapers Wednesday, as reported by Phil Ault, a United Press war agent. Capt. Fielder was in the thick of the big fight to stop the Germans in the area from Thala back to the Kasserine gap to Feriana in Tunisia. It would appear Fielder was with what is known as A-20 planes, flying at 300 miles an hour and spraying the Germans with machine bullets.... this action brings a little reminder of a visit of two young cadets had with the Herald office in the early days.... Cadets Leo Fielder and J. B. Terrell, Jr., just before they went to San Antonio.... we were not in actual war then but those boys were on their way.... both said that some day they would be dropping bombs on Berlin. Down in Africa is a good place to start. J. B. is now back in this country recovering from a wound gotten in the Tunisia area, and there's the other old Hamlinite whamming away at the Nazis.

—S & S—

Pvt. William H. Harrison Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison, is now a full-fledged soldier in the Signal Corps at Petersburg, Fla. He was inducted on Feb. 11th. Before going into the army he was assistant operator at the Ferguson Theatre. Bill ought to make a good soldier.

—S & S—

Pvt. Fred C. Taylor, training to be a gunner in the Lowery Field, Colorado, came down last week to visit his wife in Anson, and his father at Radium. Fred is a brother of Jon Max Taylor in North Africa.

—S & S—

Pvt. Olan Stuart was at home recently from the Morrison Field in Florida. It took him eight days to come and go, and while here he was somewhat sick and so he failed to see many home folks. He is a son of Mrs. A. Stuart of South Hamlin. Olan is quite well pleased with his part of the war job.

—S & S—

Pvt. Sigmond Stovall came up from Waco the past week end to visit his wife, and other relatives and friends. Sigmond was recently moved from Lubbock and information now is that he will soon be on another move.

—S & S—

Petty Officer Everett Crow came over last Friday from Norfolk to visit his mother, Mrs. Lem Revel and his three brothers, Earl, F. M. and Delma. F. M. is a trucker in the Sheppard Field and came down to see the seaman brother. Everett makes a rather handsome looking chap, and carries that familiar smile very gracefully. He has a pretty arm badge, showing the two crossed hammers, mallets or gavel or something that shows his job is a Ship Fitter.

—S & S—

G. W. Nichols, Seaman 2-C, came in last Saturday while on the move from the Great Lakes Station to report at San Francisco this Sunday. He got to remain at home till Thursday. G. W. says, "Guess I'm on the way for somewhere."

Clubs-Society



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Woman's Literary Club Met With Mrs. Poe

The Woman's Literary club met Friday afternoon at the regular club hour in the home of Mrs. W. J. Poe on Alamo Avenue.

Following a brief business session conducted by the president, Mrs. G. R. Bennett, members responded to roll call with A War Book I Have Read.

The program was directed by Mrs. Bowen Pope, who reviewed The Pied Piper. Mrs. C. E. Ball read the dramatic poem, The Murder of Lidice, by Edna St. Vincent Millap.

Miss Dorothy Hudson and Ester Hastings Marry February 17th

Miss Dorothy Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson, and Mr. Ester Hastings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hastings, were married Wednesday evening, February 17, in the home of the Rev. J. E. Buttrill, pastor of the Methodist church in Anson, with Rev. Buttrill reading the ceremony.

The couple are making their home in Hamlin where Mr. Hastings is employed at the Hamlin Hatchery.

FERGUSON THEATRE

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LATEST NEWS REELS

Sun., Mon., Wed., Thurs.

Schubert Club Hears Program By Children

The Schubert Club met in regular meeting February 17, with the Junior and Juvenile Music Clubs as guests.

The program was Music in the Home, given by children of the club members, with Mrs. McBride as program chairman.

Jimmie Dee George, secretary of the Junior club, gave a report of their year's activities and progress.

A report from the Juvenile club was given by their secretary.

The following program was given:

Piano solo, Janet Bonner.

Reading, Joe Clements.

Piano duet, Jean McCreary and Hortense Phenix.

Reading, Modene Maberry.

Piano duet, Elizabeth Butcher and Jeannine Johnston.

Piano solo, Anna Margaret McBride.

The Junior Club Collect was given, led by Jack Harden, president of the Junior Club and Suzanne Toler, president of the Juvenile Club.

Choral practice followed the program.

Freshmen Buy Bonds

Mrs. Sparkman's freshman home room has been buying stamps and bonds. This week twenty-seven students bought \$44.25 in bonds and stamps. F. W. Poe bought a \$50.00 bond. Wandah Smith purchased \$5 in stamps. Other stamps bought amounted to \$1.75.

We're building up our program of stamp and bond selling. Every Tuesday students in this home room buy stamps and bonds. We are buying as many stamps and bonds as possible.

McCaulley H. D. Club

The club met at the home of Mrs. Ellis Eivens Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 3 P. M. After a short business session, the time was given to the County H. D. Agent, Miss Ozzie Folkes.

"Make over your old chairs that are not useable," Miss Folkes said in her demonstration, on how to reseat chairs, with Hong-Kong grass, corn shucks, cane and other materials.

She also said in planting Victory gardens, the size of the garden should be determined by the size of the family. "A garden is a magic spot; you plant a little, and reap a lot."

A table of commercial canned goods had been previously arranged for demonstration as to how and what to buy for one person averaging 30 pounds for one year, as that amount to date will be the rationing quota for one person. She also made it clear to watch your points as well as your money in buying, and to figure as accurately as you could before leaving home for market. Study your buying chart and be informed as to how much you will need, and how far your points will go, using high points first.

The hostess served a refreshment plate to Mrs. Ira Parker and Miss Folkes, guests. Club members, Mesdames Della Fancher, Teel Abbott, S. E. Miers, Luther Maberry, Horace Barton, and J. A. Jackson.

The club has lost in the past few months several of their most efficient and active members, namely Mesdames Ellis Eivens, Oliver Lee to Fort Worth; Joe Miers, Midland, Georgia; Willie Fancher, to Houston; Melvin Henderson, Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Della Fancher will be hostess for the next meeting, March 17.

—Reporter

NEINDA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hubbard and little son of Grand Prairie visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scarborough visited Mr. and Mrs. Turner of Hamlin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Duncan and Loy Hubbard of Abilene visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday. Loy has been inducted into the army. He will report at Camp Wolters Friday, Feb. 26th.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scarborough last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Moulton and son Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon and Mrs. Tom Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Hodnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Gill Satur-

Mrs. Paul Behning Gift Party Honoree

Mrs. Paul Behning, recent bride, was honor guest for a gift party by the Wesley Fellowship Sunday School class of the First Methodist church of McCaulley, with Mesdames Pickron, Vera Jayroe, Luther Rector, C. D. Jones, J. A. Jackson as hostesses. Mrs. Vera Jayroe presided at the register, which was unique and original, designed and made by Mrs. Lewis Earl Madden.

After registering the guests passed into the dining room and were served from a lace-laid table, centered with a red flowering pot plant.

Mrs. Lewis Earl Madden poured tea, assisted by Miss June Parker.

Program numbers, readings by Bonnie Beth Jones, Patricia Rector and Mary Ann McCollum.

Vocal number, Bess Darden, Sue Maberry and Evelyn Akins.

Mrs. Behning is the former Emma Sue Hennington, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hennington. She is a graduate of McCaulley High school and attended McMurry College. She is now teaching near Big Spring.

Guest list: Mesdames W. H. Parker, D. E. Teal, Edward Lawless, Alfred Lawless, G. W. Martin, J. A. Jackson, Ellis Eivens, Geo. Darden, Turner Houghton, J. F. Maberry, Roy Hennington, Ralph Bishop, L. H. Boyd, Will Davidson, Vera Jayroe, C. D. Jones, Ben Short, Luin Maberry, Ira Parker, Levi McCollum, Viola Hendon, Burnice Graham, L. E. Rector, W. M. Keener, Dave Maberry, D. F. Maberry, Bill Pickron, Luther Maberry and Frank Jackson.

Misses June Parker, Ruby Hennington, Bess Darden, Sue Maberry, Evelyn Akins and Mary Ann McCollum.

Out of town guests were Mesdames C. P. Yates, Lewis Earl Madden of Hamlin and Grady Adcock of Abilene.

day night.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rodgers of Boyd Chapel Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rodgers and family of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tollison and family and Miss Beedie Brown.

Mrs. J. E. Brown and son visited Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Poe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Jarnagin and family of Roby were in our community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scarborough received a V-mail letter from their son last Tuesday. Tom is now in New Guinea.

Little Carl Max Weaver is better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hubbard and Clyde visited in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard and daughters spent Sunday in Anson with Mrs. Maynard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Brown.

Sam Hodges' brooder house burned Saturday night. He lost two hundred chickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Herchell Hubbard visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams Sunday.

The Defense Club sold \$245.00 worth of defense stamps and bonds Thursday night. Duck Weaver auctioned off the cakes.

WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypsie Reporters
(Frances Nichols-Minnie Lee Elkins)

Well folks, here comes food rationing. Some folks are wondering just how the American people are going to take it. Everyone should be proud to say we are happy to give what we can to the boys in the service.

Mrs. Charlie Polk went to Abilene Monday to spend the day with her mother, Mrs. Wheatley.

Pvt. Ardenne Lockhart was home Saturday night and Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lockhart.

Mrs. C. V. Tunnel received a message from her husband Monday. He was to undergo an operation on his eyes in the Dallas Hospital.

Mrs. Virgil Steele and daughters, went to Abilene Saturday to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harrison have moved to Hamlin. Mr. Harrison is now employed in Monahan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Farrow and son Paul spent Sunday with their daughter and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lester. Her brother remained with her Sunday night.

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dominey and family who moved to Fort Worth Sunday. Mr. Dominey is employed at Consolidated.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Preston went to Sweetwater Sunday to see their son, Garland, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rainey and son Jimmie Curt of Hamlin, and Mr. and Mrs. John Stubbs also of Ham-

lin, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Gibbons to Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Perry visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown Sunday.

Miss Wilma Lou Moore of Hamlin spent the week end with Miss Frances Martin.

Mrs. Henry Scarborough and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morrow and sons, James and Buddy and Morris from Borger visited a while Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wallace and family.

Miss Effie Brown left Saturday for California.

Mrs. Annie Lou Bevans and children of Hamlin spent Friday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Voshel Ewing and son visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tompkins and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Elam Ewing and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Venson Phillips went to Sheppard Field last week end to visit Pvt. Jack Phillips.

Mrs. Bessie J. Abshear has gone to Baton Rouge, La., to visit her sister, Mrs. Alex Grouchy. Mrs. Abshear has been spending the winter with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fairley.

Mrs. Lowell Ballew and daughter Jo Nita have been visiting old friends in Plasterco this week.

Melville Hines, Glen Bond, Laurence Doby, and Misses Nora Fae and Ora Mae Bond, and Louise Riddle visited Panther Cave Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Calhoun visited old friends in Plasterco Tuesday.

Mrs. Lula Scott of Fort Worth is visiting in the homes of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nichols and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson.

Charles Vestal and Richard Watt, students of Texas Tech, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lewis and family.

On the sick list this week are: Minnie Mae Campbell, Geraldine Brown and Stanley Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones are announcing the birth of a fine daughter, Joy Jean. The mother and baby are reported doing fine.

G. W. Vernon was taken to the Knox City Hospital Tuesday for treatment.

Mrs. Bob Harwell and son, Johnny Mac were down Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sledge.

Mrs. J. B. Early, who recently moved to this community, spent last week in Hawley.

Mrs. B. L. Smith left Saturday to go to Sheppard Field. She will remain with her husband, Pvt. B. L. Smith, who is now stationed there.

Miss Wilda Jean Fancher spent last Thursday night in the Wise Chapel community visiting relatives.

Everyone is invited to attend church Sunday. Rev. Hankins of Abilene will fill the pulpit.

Mr. Floyd Smith will leave for Wichita Falls Sunday to be married. He will be accompanied by his sister, Miss Aladean Smith.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Gould and daughter Brenda Kay, visited Dr. Gould's parents in Stamford over the week end.

Mrs. I. R. Witt is in Dallas attending the Gift Show and buying merchandise for Witt Jewelry.

R. O. Latham returned Sunday from the Sweetwater hospital where he has been for treatment. He is reported improved.

Mrs. J. F. Taylor returned Thursday from an extended visit with her son Frank Taylor and family in Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. R. McDonald of Wichita Falls is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. D. Harkins.

Notice! Dr. Baker's

Office Visits for 1943

At The Hamlin Hotel

Wed., MAR. 3—Wed., MAR. 31

Wed., April 28—Wed., May 26

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No need to lie in bed—toss—worry and fret because CONSTIPATION or GAS PRESSURE won't let you sleep. Be sensible—get up—take a dash of ADLER-I-KA

as directed, to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adler-I-Ka assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Get Adler-I-Ka from your druggist today.

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Ten per cent of your income in War Bonds will help to build the planes and tanks that will insure defeat of Hitler and his Axis partners.

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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For Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

... and how's YOUR sense of balance?



This is a balancing chair—used to test the equilibrium of Army Air Corps candidates.

• Relatively few West Texans will ever try the balancing chair—but every last one of us is having our sense of balance tested under the mad whirl of wartime bureaucracy.

• It's a test of our ability to do our daily job, buy bonds, pay taxes, donate blood, serve in Civilian Defense and Texas Defense Guards—and still keep an even keel under the barrage of bureaucratic rulings and threats.

• It's a test of individuals, and institutions, and industries.

• And it raises this question: Why are bureaucrats and crack-pot socialists, who never raised a chicken, a hog, a cow, who never produced an article by manual labor or generated a kilowatt of energy, and who never maintained a payroll or sold a pound of beefsteak... why are they holding vital posts when the Nation is fighting for survival?

• Why, in time of national emergency, haven't they been replaced by well-balanced men... practical men with training and experience in production and distribution problems?

• Brains and know-how must come to the top in domestic affairs as they have in military affairs.

• Of course we're proud that our industry has met the test—and maintained its balance. Service is still good. There has been no increase in cost. And no rationing of electricity!

• These are the accomplishments of experienced men and women under well-balanced business management—the system that made America great.

West Texas Utilities Company

INVEST IN AMERICA—Buy War Bonds and Stamps!

POT SHOTS FROM M'CAULLEY

—BY GEO. DARDEN—

Mrs. Louis Hopkins, 428 South Adams St., Fort Worth, was in McCauley over the week end and handed us a dollar for a year's subscription to the Herald. Mrs. Hopkins tells us that she has recently heard from her husband who is in the Navy and he is in New Caledonia.

Sgt. Linnie W. Eivens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eivens, has been promoted to Staff Sgt. and is stationed at Camp White, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Andress and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Dean and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eivens and children have moved to Fort Worth where the men folks are employed at Consolidated Aircraft.

Simmons students home over the week end were: C. E. Dick Jr., Mary Callaway and Latane Akins.

Brynum Akins who enlisted in the air corps of the U. S. Navy, received his notice to report to Dallas on March 1st. His primary training will be at the University of Texas.

Two soldier boys sons of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kemp were home last week end. Sgt. Fred Kemp is stationed at Alexander, La., and Frazier Kemp. We failed to get his rank and where he is stationed. Mrs. Frazier Kemp was also here with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton of Imperial, Texas, were week end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rector.

Under the O'Gram last week, the Editor asked this question: "George By-George, what if the ones responsible for hazing were over 38?" Our answer: Those over 38 do not have any business going to college. They should be raising something to eat, or else be on the production lines.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones, Mrs. Tom Nall and Bill Wicker were called to Winters last week to the bed side of Mrs. Clay Wilson who is seriously ill.

The McCauley High school seniors are giving their annual senior play March 4th. The title: "Moon Stone." One of the best mystery plays of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Houghton of

Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson over the week end.

Mrs. Frank Maberry Jr. has gone to California to join her husband who is employed on the Santa Fe railroad in that state.

Mrs. Lucille Rossen and daughter of San Antonio visited for a few days with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maberry.

A shower honoring Mrs. Paul Behning was given in the home of Mrs. Bill Pickron Saturday afternoon, sponsored by the ladies of the Methodist church. About forty ladies of the community were present. Mrs. Behning is the former Emma Sue Hennington. Mrs. Behning is teaching near Sweetwater and her husband, Lt. Paul Behning, is stationed in San Francisco, Calif.

Out of town folks who attended the funeral of Mrs. Frances Eugenia Young were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Young of Abilene, Mrs. Ethel Biggam and daughter of Tuscola, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young and daughter, Mrs. Jessie Standfer of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maberry and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Smith of Abilene and Mrs. Lita Peterson of Gustine, Tex. Miss June Parker spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parker. Miss Parker teaches near Anson.

Mrs. Randal Parker and son of Abilene spent the week in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Dick.

The largest congregation of the season attended church at the Baptist church Sunday, and don't forget that the Men's Class will welcome you every Sunday.

Pvt. A. S. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Smith, is spending a few days on leave with parents. He is stationed at Lubbock.

Comment No. 1. The President

has sent the name of James V. Allred to the senate to be confirmed as Judge of the Fifth U. S. Circuit of Appeals. Already opposition has developed, and one senator has complained that Mr. Roosevelt was paying a political obligation. Well, what is wrong in staying with a man that stays with the president? We doubt if there are many men in the country that are better qualified for the Judgeship, than is Jimmie Allred and we say Amen to the President for having made this appointment. Another case where the old true saying comes in: "You scratch my back and I'll scratch yours."

Comment No. 2. Nestled in the mesquite brush of Fisher County, the wee-little big town known as McCauley has a Red Cross quota for this year of \$200.00. As far as we can remember the citizens of McCauley community have never failed to do their part in any undertaking pertaining to the good of all the people. Until this year, our highest Red Cross quota was \$50.00, but

due to a war torn world we must raise more, and the goal is set. It is the duty of all the people to do their part in this Red Cross drive. Now if two hundred persons will give a dollar each, we won't have any trouble raising this amount, but if it's left up to a few then it's going to be digging. If you are broke and hungry, then you are excused. Otherwise, it is your duty to help. There will be plenty of time after the war is won to make money, and if we don't win it, then we won't need any money. Perhaps you have heard some fellow make the remark: that it's money, money, money, every time I turn around, and though he can't contribute to the Red Cross he can load up the wife and kids in the old smoke wagon and take off to a picture show. Yes neighbor, the four freedoms are worth as much to you as they are to your fellowman and we are confident that the citizens of McCauley will do their part. If there is a "tight-wad," among us, we say to you: Loosen up before the Japs tighten up.

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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WISE CHAPEL NEWS

By Catherine Drake

Here we come and the wind is giving us a push. All the farmers would like to see a big rain fall and stop some of this sand.

Mrs. Opal Ratliff and daughter of Levelland visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Herbst last week end. Mrs. Clint Harrison and Ed Neill of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neill went to Dallas Friday to take Ed Neill to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bonds Sr. visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bonds and son in Plainview Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and Mrs. Buck Vance and family of Hamlin spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collins.

Miss Faye Neill spent Friday nite with Miss Juanita Reynolds in Hamlin.

Miss Peggy Jo McCleary visited Miss Gaynell Stephens Sunday.

Joe Al Neil, spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Junior Patterson and family in Hamlin. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collins spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Collins in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Graham and Mrs. Dub Burgess and little Rebecca Ann Ferguson of Hamlin took supper with Mr. and Mrs. John Walton Thursday night.

Classified

NEW SADDLES, \$69.50. A few used tractors left. (14-5P) BUIE'S, Stamford, Texas

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Our Paracide Ointment is positively guaranteed to relieve itching of Eczema, Ringworm, Itch, or Poison Ivy. Remember—Relief for your skin trouble or your money back. Large jar only 60c. (2-28-43) WAGGONER DRUG STORE

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—'32 Chevrolet coupe pick-up, with 5 good tires, in A-1 shape. —Wind Charger, radio, batteries, wire and fixtures for house. —One late model Philco radio with a new thousand hour battery. C. C. RENFRO (16-2P)

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WATCH LOST

LOST—Tuesday morning, a 19 Jewel Elgin Watch. At Hamlin Hatchery or Terrell Food Store. \$5.00 reward. Return to T. A. Ellison, 8 miles north Aspermont, Texas or leave at the Hamlin Herald and get the reward.

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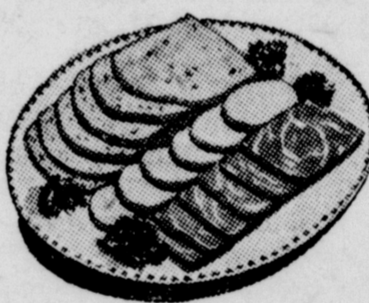
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Margarine	Dalewood Fine Quality	Lb.	21¢
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Dressing	Durkee's Salad	4-Oz. Jar	12¢
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Vinegar	Old Mill Pure Cider	Qt. Bot.	15¢
Mustard	Derby Prepared	16-Oz. Jar	9¢
Sauce	French's Worcestershire	2 Sm. Bots.	25¢
Vigo Dog Food		8-Oz. Pkg.	9¢
Salt	Jefferson Island In Square Box	24-Oz. Box	5¢
Cane Sugar		5-Lb. Bag	33¢
Crackers	1 lb Excel		10c
Brooms	Blue Bird		28c
Clabber Girl		2 LB. CAN	
Baking Powder			22c
River Rice		2-Lb. Pkg.	21¢

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Matches	Search-light	6-Box Crtn.	28¢
Silk Tissue		3 Rolls	13¢
Sunbrite Cleanser		Reg. Can	5¢
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Klex	Soap Powder	19-Oz. Pkg.	22¢
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WANT TO RENT

Would like to rent a nice 5 or 6 room residence. See or phone HORACE JUSTICE, Mgr. Safeway Store. (17P)

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Have for sale an Allis Chalmers Tractor, WC Model, and the tools. JOHN GREEN MOTOR CO.

ELECTRIC COOLING SYSTEM

For sale, a good electric cooling system for residence. See or phone, MRS. JOHN O. LEWIS (17)

WHITE FACE BULL

Have a good young White Face Bull for service at my lot in South Hamlin, near my station. Fee \$1.00. L. V. MILLER (15-2P)

WANTED

By the Hamlin Sand & Gravel Co., Route 4, Hamlin (Phone 9008-F-2) Social Security No. of the following: Pete Jordan, Z. T. Mendoza, Felix Rikers, Socorro Ramirez, O. R. Greenway and Mack Sanders (P)

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Help the government and yourself by bringing your scrap to HENRY MILLER N. W. Jones Feed Store (17-2P)

FURNITURE FOR SALE

Two iron bedsteads and springs; 100 pound ice box, kitchen cabinet, library table, dining table and chairs, wicker living room suite, rockers and other house furnishings, all in good condition. See MRS. JOE HUDSON (17P)

HIS HAT LOST

In the mix-up of hats at the Chamber of Commerce banquet last Tuesday night I lost a Stratoliner, long oval hat, blue, purchased at Bryant-Link Co., Stamford, Bro. Harrell says there is an extra hat in his office. Please return hat to the Herald Office. Thanks a lot. HAROLD BONNER

BED ROOM

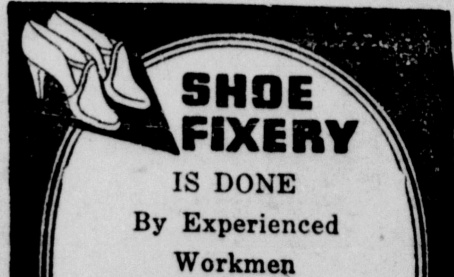
For Rent, a nice bedroom, private entrance. Phone or see (17) MRS. O. K. WILSON

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Farmall Regular Tractor. Extra good mechanical condition. Fair tires. Good cultivator. No planter. CLARENCE JOHNSON Royston, Texas (17P)

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